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HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS.
DONALD McLEAN. GEO. UHLER.
McLEAN & UHLER,
DEALERS IN
House-furnishing Goods,
Cutlery, Plated, Plain, Stamped, Japanned,
Tin, Wood and Willow Wares, of
every description.
No. 78 KING ST., ALEXANDRIA, VA.
(Opposite R. J. Miller & Co.)
N. B.—All orders from the country promptly
filled.
jan 10

E. J. Miller & Co.
Importers of
China and Queensware,
And Dealers in
GLASSWARE AND FANCY GOODS
Plain White and Decorated French China
Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets; Handsome Colored
Sets, Hinged Holders, Mustache Cases and
Saucers, Mugs, &c.
Japanese Tea Trays, all sizes
Japanese Card Trays, something new
Chinese Bamboo and Majolica Tea and
Tobacco Sets.
Rogers Bros', Electro Silver Plated Goods,
Custards, Spoons, Forks, &c.
Toy Tea Sets, in great variety.
Piercing and House's Colored Library Sta-
tionery Lamp makes a useful and ornamental
table lamp.
We are offering our goods at very low rates,
and will be pleased to have you call and ex-
amine our stock.
K. J. MILLER & CO.
115 King Street
nov 26-17

FOR SALE.
500 POUNDS OLD NEWSPAPERS
AT THIS OFFICE.
sep 6-17

CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS.
S. WATERMAN & SON,
Fashionable Tailors and Clothiers,
91 KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Have constantly on hand a full line of READY MADE GOODS of all descriptions, and sell suits
at from \$5 up to the finest.

Also a full line of BOYS', YOUTHS' and CHILDREN'S SUITS.

We have determined to do a FIRST CLASS TAILORING BUSINESS, and have gone to
an enormous expense in laying in a tremendous stock of FINE GOODS, both foreign and do-
mestic, embracing all the latest novelties in fancy suitings, plain suitings and the most elaborate
Pants patterns that could be found. Our object is to show that we can do what all northern
makers are doing at the present time, viz: making garments to order at a very small advance on
ready made clothing.

WE WILL SELL ALL WOOL SUITS, made to order at \$16.50.
FINE SCOTCH SUITS TO ORDER AT \$19.00, 20.00, 22.00 and 25.00.
FINE PLAIN CASSIMERE SUITS TO ORDER AT \$18.00, 20.00, 22.00 and 25.00.
FINE DRESS SUITS TO ORDER AT \$20.00, 22.00, 24.00, 26.00 and 28.00.

A FULL STOCK OF
GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHINGS,
Of the latest styles, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, CUFFS, SOCKS, TIES, HANDKER-
CHIEFS, &c., always on hand.
TRUNKS, SATCHELS and VALISES a specialty.
50

DRY GOODS.
SPECIAL NOTICE.
Having just got hold of an extraordinary cheap
lot of SEASONABLE DRY GOODS, I beg
leave to announce that I intend to let my cus-
tomers have the full benefit of these bargains by
selling them very low for cash.
my 12 WM. N. BERKLEY.

ASPLENDID LOT OF
Four button Kid Gloves at 75 cts
IN WHITE AND OPERA SHADES.
A DROICED BARGAIN.
PRETZELDER & CO.,
my 6 141 KING STREET.

GREAT DEMAND FOR BUNTINGS.
Monday, May 6, 1879.
Another invoice of these popular goods just
received from New York. Also a full assort-
ment of Corsets, Ladies' Merino Vests, Hand-
kerchiefs, Silk Ties, Shetland Shawls, Hosiery,
Kuffs, Madras Handkerchiefs, Grenadines and
many other choice goods, all at down prices.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King Street,
Alexandria, Va.
my 5

OUR STOCK COMPLETE.
Friday, May 2, 1879.
FANCY AND DOMESTIC DRY GOODS.
We call the special attention of the purchas-
ing public to our large stock of Fancy and Staple
Dry Goods, Notions, Hosiery, &c., now full and
complete in every department, and at prices as
low as in any market in or out of the State.
Country merchants will find it to their interest
to examine our stock of heavy goods, purchased
before the advance in Cotton fabrics.
D. F. BRASHEAR,
No. 109 King Street,
Alexandria, Va.
my 2

NEW STOCK
—OF—
Spring and Summer Dry Goods.
Having just returned from the East with a
well selected stock of seasonable
DRY GOODS, NOTIONS, &c.,
bought at the prevailing low prices, I respect-
fully solicit an examination of my stock.
I would call particular attention to our NEW
FANCY HOSIERY.
A large quantity for the PEARL SHIRT. Best
material, best fit, best workmanship and lowest
price.
D. B. BENDHEIM,
112 KING STREET
sp 22-1m

FANCY GOODS.
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.
The largest, most complete and best selected
stock of Hosiery in the city to select from.
Shirts, Collars, Cuffs and Suspenders.
DeLouvillie, Osborne, Gunardier and Counselor
Scarfs, in all the latest colors and shades.
Corsets, Ribbons and Handkerchiefs.
Underwear for Ladies, Children and In-
fants, in all sizes, from 20c to \$2 each.
Kid and Thread Gloves in new shades.
Neck Ruffings, Laces, Edgings, and a full line
of Towels, Napkins, &c.
Sun Umbrellas and Parasols.
Fairly and Zephyr Worsteds, German Town, Sax-
ony and Crewel Wool.
ap 10 C. M. ADAMS, 12 King st.

NEW GOODS.
SUN UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS.
LADIES' and CHILDREN'S HOSIERY
BLACK SILK FRINGES.
SILK and FANCY BUTTONS.
NECK RUFFINGS.
KID GLOVES.
TORCHON and other LACES, all of which
will be sold at prices to suit the times at
ap 7 C. O. BERRY'S.

BUTCHERS.
OSCAR F. BAGGETT,
DEALER IN FIRST CLASS
Beef, Veal, Lamb, Mutton
&c., &c., &c.
CORNER BEEF A SPECIALTY.
Stalls—S and 9 Centre Market, Royal st. wing.
—Marketing delivered free of charge to all
parts of the city. feb 7-5m

W. A. JOHNSON, JOHN T. HAMMOND.
W. A. JOHNSON & CO.,
WHOLESALE GROCERS,
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in
ALL KINDS OF LIQUORS,
AND PURE OLD RYE, OLD WHISKY,
AND MONSIEUR WHISKY; also BAK-
ERS' and TEA and COFFEE, and PURE RYE
WHISKY, to which they invite the attention
of the trade.
Also agents for the sale of LAFIN &
RAND'S RIFLE POWDER.
Orders from the country for merchandise shall
receive prompt attention.
Consignments of Flour, Grain and Country
Produce solicited, for which they guarantee the
highest market prices and prompt returns.
Northeast corner of Cameron and Royal sts.,
Alexandria, Va. my 12

HARLOW BROS.,
WHOLESALE
GROCERS, COMMISSION MERCHANTS,
And Dealers in
JOHN GIBSON'S SON & CO'S. CABINET
X, XX and XXX WHISKIES, and
Thompson's Pure Rye Whiskey; Foreign
Wines and Brandy, Ale, Porter
and Champagne.
N. W. COR. CAMERON AND ROYAL STS.
Coffee roasted for the trade at 75c per sack.
my 6-17

CHAS. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
(Late of J. T. Beckham & Co.)
GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANT,
Agent for
J. B. FICKLEN & SONS'
CELEBRATED BREWERY FAMILY
FLOUR,
11 North Union Street,
Alexandria, Virginia.
jan 23

HARMON & SMITH,
GROCERS & COMMISSION MERCHANTS
Corner Prince and Royal sts.,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
A choice line of FAMILY GROCERIES al-
ways in stock and for sale at lowest market
prices. Consignments solicited and prompt re-
turns made. jan 14-17

GEORGE R. HILL & CO'S.
LOAF BREADS
We have two distinct grades upon the market.
No. 1 is our FINE BREAD, which we recom-
mend with confidence. It is white, of rich
flavor, and keeps fresh several days. If you are
using this bread and do not consume it upon the
day of its purchase, try it the next day or the
day following before throwing it aside as stale
and worthless.
No. 2 is a PLAIN BREAD, its chief recom-
mendation being its cheapness.
GEORGE R. HILL & CO'S. HOME MADE
BREAKFAST BISCUIT.
my 8

GEORGE R. HILL, RICHARD F. TUCKER.
GEORGE R. HILL & CO.
STEAM MANUFACTURERS OF
Fine Biscuit, Crackers & Cakes,
Nos. 35, 37 and 39 N. Lee st.
ALEXANDRIA, - - - VIRGINIA.

NOTICE.
A. GLACHET'S
ICE CREAM AND WATER ICES,
of all flavors, will be made of the very best and
purest materials, and will try to keep them every
day for sale at low prices. No. 125 King Street.
PRICES.
Per gallon.....\$1 and 1 25
Half gallon.....65
Quarter gallon.....40
And also Wedding Cakes for parties, &c.,
will be furnished at the very lowest prices.
As to my French and home manufactured
CANDIES I defy competition.
Respectfully yours,
A. GLACHET.
feb 14

VIRGINIA BAKERY.
SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET.
BREAD! BREAD! BREAD!
NEW PROCESS, SWEET AND DELICIOUS,
RETAINING ITS EXCELLENCE AND
FRESHNESS FOR SEVERAL DAYS.
jan 20 JAS. T. CRUMP.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.
LINDEN KENT. S. C. KEALE.
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NO. 28 SOUTH FAIRFAX STREET,
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Practice in the Courts of Alexandria, and the
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Appeals of Virginia. sep 26

NOTICE TO HOUSEKEEPERS.—Use the
"ITALIAN INSECT POWDER," and you
will no longer be troubled with roaches, ants,
flies, moths, or any species of insect. It is war-
ranted to kill if used according to directions.
For sale by
my 17 WABFIELD & HALL

WANTED.
LOGANSPORT, CRAWFORDSVILLE and
SOUTHWESTERN R. R. BONDS.
CHICAGO and EASTERN ILLINOIS R. R.
BONDS and STOCK.
CHICAGO, DANVILLE and VINCENNES
R. R. BONDS.
NORTHERN PACIFIC R. R. BONDS and
STOCK.
MONTGOMERY and EUPAULA RAIL-
ROAD BONDS.
KANSAS and NEBRASKA R. R. BONDS,
LAND SCRIP and STOCK.
CENTRAL IOWA R. R. BONDS.
RICHMOND and DANVILLE R. R. STOCK
and other defaulted R. R. Securities.
FRITZ LEWIS,
57 Second Street, Baltimore, Md.
Reference—John S. Norris, Pres. First Nat'l
Bank; Robert Mickle, Cashier Nat'l Union
Bank, Baltimore. my 16-2w

BURKE & HERBERT,
Dealers in
GOVERNMENT BONDS
LOCAL STOCKS AND ALL FIRST CLASS
RAILROAD BONDS.
and other good investment securities, have for
sale the new
\$10 U. S. 4 per cent Bonds,
Also COUPONS, (Alexandria city and Vir-
ginia) receivable for the Funding Association of
the United States of America, we are now ready
to receive for funding all classes of VIRGINIA
SECURITIES on precisely the same terms as
the public generally use, and as the medium
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AUCTION SALES.
By Green & Wise,
[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers]
COMMISSIONER'S SALE.—By virtue of a
decree of the Corporation Court for the city of
Alexandria, Va., rendered at Jan. term, 1879,
in the suit of John T. Hall vs. J. P. Brown, the
undersigned commissioners therein named, will
offer for sale by public auction, in front of the
entrance to the court room, on Fairfax street, in
said city, on THURSDAY, the 29th day of
May, 1879, at 12 o'clock m., the SHIPYARD
HARBOUR, now lying on the SHIPYARD
Alexandria, Va. Terms of Sale—Cash.
LINDEN KENT,
CHAS. E. STUART, [Commissioners].
my 15-6c

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE
Corporation Court for the city of Alexan-
dria, Va., rendered at its April term, 1879, in
the chancery cause of Joseph Collier and wife
vs. Catherine N. Alwell et al., the undersigned
commissioners therein named, will offer for sale
by public auction, to the highest bidder, on
SATURDAY, the 24th day of May, 1879, at 12
o'clock m., in front of the Fairfax st. entrance
to the Corporation Court room, all the REAL
ESTATE of which the late Charles P. Shaw,
deceased, died seized, to wit:
No. 1 FRAME HOUSE and LOT on the
north side of Queen street, between Royal and
Pitt streets.
No. 2 FRAME HOUSE and LOT on the
south side of Cameron street, between Pitt and
St. Asaph streets.
No. 3 FRAME HOUSE and LOT on the
south side of Duke street, between Fairfax and
Royal streets.
No. 4 FRAME and BRICK HOUSE and
LOT on the northeast corner of King and Fair-
fax streets. (Store now occupied by Steiner &
Yoke.)
No. 5 FRAME HOUSE and LOT on the
east side of Fairfax street, adjoining No. 5 (the
store recently occupied by Joe Hopkins).
No. 7 FRAME and BRICK HOUSE and
LOT on the southeast corner of Queen and Royal
streets.
No. 8 FRAME and BRICK HOUSE and
LOT on the north west corner of Pitt and Wolfe
streets.
No. 9 LOT OF GROUND on the west side
of Royal street, about 100 feet north of Queen
street.
No. 10 A TRACT OF LAND, containing
about 35 acres, with DWELLING and fencing,
good spring, &c., located in Fairfax county,
about two miles from Alexandria, on the back
road to the Theological Seminary, well located
for a market garden and dairy farm.
Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase
money to be paid in cash, and the residue on a
credit of 12 and 18 months from the day of
sale; the deferred payments to bear interest from
the day of sale, and to be secured by the bonds of
the purchaser or purchasers, with good personal
security; the title to be retained until the pur-
chase money and interest has been fully paid.
GEORGE A. MUSHBACH,
Comm'r. of Sale.
ap 21-17s

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.
BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE
Corporation Court for the city of Alexan-
dria, Va., rendered at its May term, 1879, in
the chancery cause of A. Hamilton et al. vs. John
A. Seaton, the undersigned commissioners
therein named, will offer for sale by public auc-
tion to the highest bidder, on SATURDAY, the
14th day of June, 1879, at 12 o'clock m., in front
of the Fairfax street entrance to the Corporation
Court room, the following described property,
viz: A LOT OF GROUND, in the said city of
Alexandria, Va., beginning on the west side of
St. Asaph street, one hundred and seventy-one
feet south of Gibson street, and running thence
east on said street thirty feet; thence south
west one hundred and twenty-three feet three
inches to the centre of the square; thence north
thirty feet; thence east to the beginning; subject
to one half of a twenty feet alley at the west end
of said lot.
Terms of Sale: Ten per cent of the purchase
money to be paid in cash, and the residue in
three equal instalments at six, twelve and
eighteen months respectively, with interest, and
evidence by the bonds of the purchaser; the
title to be retained until the purchase money
principal and interest is paid. Conveyancing at
the cost of the purchaser.
ALBERT STUART,
FRANCIS L. SMITH, Jr., [Comm'rs. of Sale].
my 15-2w4w

By O'Neal & Lucas, Auctioneers.
**COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALU-
ABLE TRACT OF LAND IN FAIR-
FAX COUNTY, VA., NEAR ALEXAN-
DRIA.**—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit
Court of Fairfax county, Va., rendered at the
November term, 1878, in the suit of
Fish vs. Fish, &c., the undersigned commis-
sioners, commissioners of said court, by said
decree, will offer for sale at public auction, on
SATURDAY, the 31st day of May, 1879, at 12
m., in front of the Market Building, on Royal
street, Alexandria, Va., all that TRACT OF
LAND, in the said county of Fairfax, of which
Francis Fish, died seized, and on which he re-
sided at the time of his death, situated on the
Leesburg turnpike, about one and a half miles
from the city of Alexandria, and containing
ten acres, more or less. The improvements on
the land consist of a comfortable DWELLING,
stable and carriage house, barn, and other neces-
sary outbuildings, and an excellent orchard.
Terms of Sale: One tenth of the purchase
money is cash on the day of sale, and the re-
sidue in three equal payments at 12, 18 and 24
months from the day of sale; the deferred pay-
ments to bear interest from the day of sale, and
to be secured by the notes of the purchaser with
approved security, and the retention of the title
to the property until they are paid.
J. C. DEPUTRON,
ALBERT STUART, [Comm'rs. of Sale].
ap 25-6c

At the same time and place we will offer that
fine place, MAPLE GROVE, twenty acres,
(owned by Wm. Arnold, who wishes to move to
the West), containing a comfortable DWELLING,
Stables, a large quantity of Fruit Trees, Apples,
Peaches, Pears and other Fruit. Any one
wishing to see the place can do so at any time.
Terms liberal, and made known at sale. my 10

RESTAURANTS.
MILWAUKEE BEER, PORTER AND
STOCK ALE.
(ON DRAUGHT)
CLAM AND VEGETABLE SOUP.
DEVILED CRABS fresh on hand every day.
ALGER STEUERNAGEL,
ap 13 No. 20 North Royal Street.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.
This is to give notice that, as owner of the
following boats, I will not be responsible for
any supplies or bills that may be contracted by
captains or crews.
F. MEYERS, Cumberland, Md.
NAMES OF BOATS:
Little Eddie,
Lizzie K.,
W. P. Wolcott,
M. C. Clay,
Dr. C. F. Russell,
Capt. Jas. Marmaduke,
Albert Zaigler. [my 7-1m]

TUTT'S ICE COLD SODA AND VICHY,
Saratoga, Excelsior,
Oweco, Deep Rock,
Winona, Waukegan,
Beck's, Penn. Bedford Water and
Bouquet's Celebrated Root, Birch and
Cider Beers on draught,
at 5c PER GLASS AT
LUNT & DAVIDSON'S Drug Store,
Corner King and Washington sts.,
Bedford, Bethesda and Saratoga Water fresh
from the springs at 50c per gallon. my 17

FISH DEALERS.
I have just resumed my
FISH PACKING BUSINESS
At No. 22 CORPORATION FISH WHARF
where I will be prepared to furnish all kinds of
POTOMAC FISH,
fresh or salt, at the shortest notice. I solicit
your patronage, especially my old customers,
and guarantee that my past reputation shall be
fully sustained.
All orders from the country promptly attend-
ed to, and on as good terms as if the parties were
present.
Respectfully yours,
S. J. REEVE.
O. R. PRICE
J. T. COWK.
FISH FISH FISH
We have this day formed a partnership, un-
der the firm name of
O. R. PRICE & CO.,
Dealers in
FRESH AND SALT FISH.
Fish received daily from the fishing shores on
the Potomac, and supplied to consumers in
quantities to suit, either fresh or salted by ex-
perienced packers.
Stalls Nos. 1 and 2, City Market, and Fish
House No. 1, Corporation Fish Wharf.
Country orders solicited and satisfaction guar-
anteed. (mh 3-3m) GEO. E. PRICE & CO.

LADIES' FINE FRENCH HEEL
BOOTS, in every style and quality,
now on exhibition at
mh 25 WADDEY'S, 110 King Street.

PIOW PLATES, rolled and hammered, all
sizes, for sale by
mh 15 JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS.

MEDICINE.
TUTT'S
PILLS!
INTRODUCED 1865.
A TORPID LIVER
Is the fruitful source of many diseases, promi-
nent among which are DYSPEPSIA, SICK
HEADACHE, COSTIVENESS, DYSURIA,
BILIOUS FEVER, ACID and PEVER,
JAUNDICE, PILES, RHEUMATISM, KID-
NEY COMPLAINT, COLIC, &c.
Symptoms of a Torpid Liver.
Loss of Appetite and Nausea, the bowels are
constipated, but sometimes alternate with looseness,
Pain in the Head, accompanied with a dull sen-
sation in the back part, Pain in the right side
and under the shoulder blade, fullness after
eating, with a disinclination to exertion of body
or mind, Irritability of Temper, Low Spirits,
Loss of Memory, with a feeling of having neg-
lected some duty, General Weariness, Dizziness,
Fluttering at the Heart, Dots before the eyes,
Yellow Skin, Headache generally over the right
eye, Restlessness at night with awful dreams,
highly colored Urine. IF THESE WARN-
INGS are unheeded, serious diseases will soon be
developed.

TUTT'S PILLS
Are especially adapted to such cases. A single
dose effects such a change of feeling as to aston-
ish the sufferer.

TUTT'S PILLS
Are compounded from substances that are free
from any properties that can injure the most
delicate organization. They Scorch, Cleanse,
Purify and invigorate the Entire System. By
relieving the engorged liver, they cleanse the
blood from poisonous humors, and thus impart
health and vitality to the body, causing the
bowels to act naturally, without which no one
can feel well.

A NOTED DIVINE SAYS:
Dr. Tutt—Dear Sir: For ten years I have
been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation and
Piles. Last Spring your Pills were recom-
mended to me; I used them (but with little faith.) I
am now a well man, have a good appetite, di-
gestion perfect, regular stools, piles gone, and I
have gained forty pounds in solid flesh. They are
worth their weight in gold.
Rev. R. L. SIMPSON, Louisville, Ky.

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Catching an Alligator.
MAGNOLIA, Fla., April 23.—On the end of
a wall overhanging the water, a party turned back
along the smooth path through the natural
park. At one lumber camp we passed, logs
were being rafted down a creek to a bay in
Florida. As the shadows were growing heavier
under the trees, our host, L., paused opposite
a small pond covering a quarter acre in an open
space. "Do you see that alligator?" he said, pointing
to a black log six or seven feet long, lying half
in mud and half in water, a few yards out.
"That fellow is stupid yet; just out of winter
quarters, and half torpid."
A pipe knut thrown and striking close by did
not disturb him. The professor, roused to ac-
tion, seated a prize. "Gentlemen, we must
have that specimen for the Chicago Academy
of Science." We were captivated. No eyes
to be bugged out and cracked by a mus-
ket ball. We'd ship him alive, and mount
him afterward as our laureate.
The good genius of our friend appeared on
the scene at this instant in a long shanked
dog, mounted on that top of wickedness, our
scrubby pony acquaintance of the morning.
Around the head's neck was wrapped a larist
of length, evidently at the expense of some
white wash clothes line. That rope was just
the thing to yank our dog and alligator out with.
A largish was quickly struck. L., as best
poised in habits of the game, was to take the
loss end of the line, and waving our dog, drop a
slip noose over the rough tail. The colored
gentleman was to start his steed, and we were
to give a helping pull.
The programme was carried out to that ex-
tent without a slip. The pony moved, and so
did the alligator. The ducky yelled and snuck
his heels in, and everybody shouted. The pony,
checked and turned partly around by the re-
sistance at the other end of the line, made the
discovery to what he had become attached
and at once devoted his whole attention to the
subject. The professor, a system of kicking that
caused the dog to shake and alligator to
recoil the end and take a position between
the ears, where he hunk like a spider. Then
followed a fight that drew the half grown al-
ligator with a rush out of the water and over
the ground and against trees, until the last
parted.
In the bloom that had now gathered, the
terror stricken pony disappeared among the
trees in a disolving view of high lifted heels,
with a woolly head and rolling eyes hanging on
somewhere. As the latter did not come back
for his pay, it was presumed that he desired
to terminate the contest. As to the alligator,
however torpid he may have been when the
proceedings started, the mad race, tail foremost,
over the ground and against trees, (clutched
warmed him up, and the blood commenced to
circulate sufficiently for all practical purposes.
The jaws came together like a steel trap when
ever we approached, and, as it was late and we
had no weapons, this valuable specimen was
left to himself and lost to science.

A TERRIBLE DEED.—What kind of man
some of the Russian students are may be gath-
ered from the example of Gorki, of Tampoff,
whose name acquired an evil renown some
years ago, in connection with one of the most
terrible murders of the century perpetrated in
his nineteenth year. The family living next
door to him had given him some cause of of-
fense, the precise nature of which was never
known, although it had been plausibly conjec-
tured that his suit had been rejected by one of
the daughters, to whom he was known to be at-
tached. A single vision was too little for the
vengeance of the young desperado, who delib-
erately resolved to exterminate the entire house-
hold. Some weeks before this attempt he pur-
chased a revolver, and practiced constantly
with it, in order, as he afterward admitted, to
familiarize the neighbors with the sound of
fire, and thus divert suspicion till his work was
done. Then availing himself of his acquain-